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Title : Process for Producing 2'-Deoxy-2'-Fluorouridine

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2007 in the above-identified patent application, kindly amend the application as follows:

An extension of the deadline for response to the Office Action is respectfully requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and the appropriate fee is submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. **Additional claims fees also are submitted herewith.**

Remarks begin on page 20 of this paper.